

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 5, line 15, with the following rewritten paragraph:

--Fig. 1 diagrammatically shows a light-emitting diode device.--

Please add the following new paragraphs after the paragraph ending on line 18 of page 3:

--Fig. 2 is a top view of an alternative embodiment of a light-emitting device. Fig. 3 is a side view of an alternative embodiment of a light-emitting device.--

Please add the following new paragraph after the paragraph ending on line 3 of page 4:

--Fig. 2 is a top view of an alternative embodiment of a light-emitting device. Fig. 3 is a side view of an alternative embodiment of a light emitting device. In the device of Figs. 2 and 3, phosphor blocks 2 are formed on the light emitting surface 4 of a substrate 5 of an InGaN light emitting diode 4. Electrical connectors 7 are disposed on the side of the device opposite the phosphor blocks 2. The regions of surface 4 without phosphor are covered with blocks of a light-transmitting layer 3, which is capable of spreading light incident on that portion of surface 4. Fig. 3 illustrates that the thickness of the light-transmitting blocks may be selected such that the top surface of phosphor blocks 2 and light-transmitting blocks 3 is a flat surface. The device of Fig. 3 includes an optional optical element 8, which mixes the light emitted by phosphor blocks 2 and light-transmitting blocks 3, to eliminate undesirable color-separation effects.--